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"The **DEMON**
LIVES AGAIN

**Winners
Everywhere!**



**Sales Leadership
"Everything
You Want Club"**



**Everyone
Can Win Big Prizes
or Lots of Cash
Selling Personalized
Christmas Cards from
Free Album**



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**Join The Club
That Gives You
More...**

**EXTRA
BONUS
Free Gift
for No Order**

- FREE ALBUM of Actual Christmas Cards — Yours to Keep!
- AMAZING VALUE! Top quality cards with NAME IMPRINTED for LESS THAN 5¢ EACH
- FINEST SELECTION FOR EVERYONE — Just Order, Easy!
- NO GOES TO CARRY OR RETURN
- NO RISK — NO OBLIGATION — NO INVESTMENT

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SALES LEADERSHIP CLUB

Dept. 25N-7

Springfield, Mass. 01101

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Fill Out & Don't Cut! Just Send (Paste, Staple or Scotch Tape)
Enroll me as a member. Rush FREE Membership Card, Christmas
Card Album. Print mailing and full details on how to win prizes
of cash.

Name _____
Address _____ Apt. No. _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

**You, too, Can Be a Sales Leader
Get Fantastic Prizes or Lots of Cash**

Just fill in postage-free coupon and mail at once — no envelope necessary! We'll rush everything you need to start earning the prizes you choose. AKA! NO COST TO YOU!
For many years thousands of Sales Leadership Club members have followed our plan to success just by showing our easy-to-use Personalized Christmas Card Album to friends, relatives, neighbors and businessmen. The beautiful cards gracefully sell themselves... so you take orders at the bargain price of only \$3.50 per box, containing as many as 40 cards each with customer's Name Imprinted!

Many valuable prizes can be yours for asking only 2 boxes. No limit to the prizes you can earn if you prefer cash instead of a prize. Just keep \$1.00 for each box until you're all there is. **GET IT GET STARTED TODAY — THE PROVEN SALES LEADERSHIP WAY!**

Life is Great When You're a Winner
Everyone Who Tries Can Win!

JOIN THE LEADER NOW!

SALES LEADERSHIP CLUB, Springfield, Mass. 01101

BATMAN

HEREWIT... ANOTHER INCREDIBLE CHAPTER IN THE LIFE OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST CRIME FIGHTER.

COME TO A CEMETERY NESTLED HIGH IN THE SNOWY ALPS... FEEL THE CLEAN BITE OF WINTER AND LISTEN TO A DISTANT SCREAM OF WIND IN ENDLESS CRACKS...

HERE THE BATMAN AND HIS COMPANIONS HAVE CRUISED TALL, PALACES OF ARCH-CRIMINAL RAS AL GHUL...

HERE, ALSO, THEY WATCHED RAS HIMSELF DIE... THEY THOUGHT!

BUT NOW, A POWERFUL FIGURE LEAPS TOWARD THEM, A SHAD IN HIS THROAT AND BLOOD-LUST GLITTERING IN HIS EYES...

THE DEMON LIVES AGAIN!

STORY BY
TIMOTHY OF AUSTIN

ART BY
VINCE ALVARO &
PICK GARDNER

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MINUTES EARLIER, RAY'S DEAD BODY
HAD SUNK INTO A FOUL-SMELLING
HOLE—THE LAZARUS PIT—HAD LAIN
THERE FOR A HANDFUL OF SECONDS.

THEN, SLOWLY THE SLAB ON WHICH HE
LAY ROSE—THE GILL FORM SPURRED...

—ERUPTED
INTO
FURIOUS
MOTHS!

AND NOW...

IT'S—IMPOSSIBLE! HE'S
DEAD! I EXAMINED HIS CORPSE
PERSONALLY!

THEN THE LEGENDS
ARE TRUE!

THE LEGENDS
THAT SAY RAY
AL GORE HAS
BEEN REBORN
MANY TIMES!

YES—
AND MORE!
WHEN MY FATHER
FIRST RETURNS
TO LIFE, HE HAS
THE STRENGTH
OF TEN—

—A FIT OF WRATHNESS
SEIZES HIM!

CAREFUL, LING! DON'T
TRY UNTIL WE KNOW WHAT
WE'RE DEALING WITH!





LING FEARS
NEITHER
MAN...
NOR
GHOST!



HOWEVER, EVEN AS THE
COURAGEOUS MONGOLIAN JUMPS,
AN ARM LASHES OUT TOO
QUICKLY TO BE SEEN--



IN THIS STATE, HE MIGHT ATTACK
THESE INNOCENT PEOPLE--



I'LL FAKE A
LEFT HOOK--



AND PUT
EVERYTHING
I'VE GOT
INTO A
RIGHT!



IN MERE SECONDS, THE STRUGGLE IS FINISHED... WITH THE BATMAN FALLEN VICTIM.



MOMENTS LATER...



THE BATMAN LOOKS IN THE DIRECTION MOLLY IS POINTING... AND, SUDDENLY, THERE IS THE SOUND OF A POWERFUL ENGINE! SNOW SHIFTS...

...THE WHITENESS DROPS AWAY TO REVEAL SLEEK, SHINY STEEL...

...AND A STRANGELY SHAPED CRAFT LIFTS INTO THE AIR!...



SOME SORT OF HOVERCRAFT, MODIFIED FOR TRAVEL ON THIS TERRAIN!



RA'S AND TALIA ARE GETTING AWAY CLEAN--



...AND THERE'S NO WAY WE CAN NAIL THEM!

MAYBE THERE IS! I'VE WON A FEW OLYMPIC MEDALS ON SKIS--

...AND GUESS WHAT I'VE JUST FOUND!



MISS POST... YOU'RE A TREASURE!

WITH THESE, I HAVE AT LEAST A CHANCE.

CORRECTION-- WE HAVE A CHANCE!

I'M TIRED OF YOU DOING ALL THE WORK!



I CAN'T PERMIT YOU TO ENFANGER.

TO STOP ME, YOU'LL HAVE TO CATCH ME!

--BYE-BYE!

ROGER'S SUPER SKITTLE BOWL

LOOK THAT'S
ROGER STAUBACH,
THE FAMOUS FOOTBALL STAR



YEAH, AND HE'S PLAYING WITH
THE BIGGEST SKITTLE BOWL
I'VE EVER SEEN



WHAT ARE
YOU DOING,
ROGER?

JUST KEEPING IN SHAPE
DURING THE OFF-SEASON WITH
MY OLYMPIC SIZE
SKITTLE BOWL.



GEE, IT'S
GIGANTIC

IT'S TALLER
THAN ME

NATURALLY
EVERYTHING'S
BIG IN TEXAS

BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE
FROM TEXAS TO HAVE AN
OLYMPIC SIZE SKITTLE
BOWL



OLYMPIC SIZE SKITTLE
BOWL. IT'S LIKE HAVING
A BOWLING ALLEY IN
YOUR BACKYARD...
OR PLAYROOM.



WHEN IT COMES TO BOWL GAMES, ROGER STAUBACH IS AN EXPERT!
HE'S SPORTS ADVISOR TO AURORA.

AURORA

WITHIN A
HEARTBEAT,
THE BATMAN
IS HURLING
AFTER
MOLLY POST!

THE LONG, STEEP SLOPE IN
FRONT OF HIM IS A BLUR—
EVERY MUSCLE REACTING
TO THE CHALLENGE OF
SPEED, SNOW AND WIND—

MOLLY'S GOOD—
VERY GOOD!

SHE'S CHOSEN A ROUTE
THAT'LL GET US TO THE
BOTTOM BEFORE THE HOVER-
CRAFT— MAYBE!

UNFORTUNATELY,
IT'S ALSO A PATH
FULL OF
OBSTACLES
AND DROP-
OFFS!

THE GIRL IS
INCREDIBLE!
SHE'S GOTTEN
IN FRONT OF
RA'S AND
TALIA—

HOW
CAN SHE
POSSIBLY
HOPE TO
HALT
THEM?

HOPE I
CAN FINISH
WITHOUT
BREAKING
A LIMB!

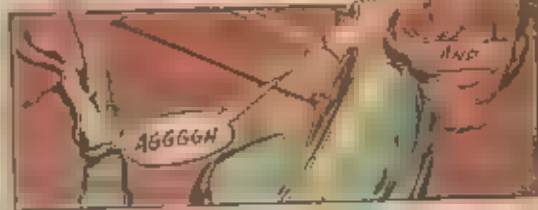
IT WAS BAD
ENOUGH BEING
HUMILIATED
BY RA'S—

—TO BE SHOWN
UP BY MOLLY
WOULD BE MORE
THAN MY PRIDE
COULD STAND!

THEN THE BATMAN'S MOTHER
 DIES HIM E AVIATED
 GOD 2 GIR HIM SA
 SK POLE 4 HE M
 RUSH 11 MEM E
 YARDING TAY THE
 SO MING
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 WH
 HO TO THE
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 MOLT



AS RA'S HE GUN AND
 HIM AL E SLE
 AND THE BATMAN
 SKINTE MULL S SIDE

THE YOUNG
 FOOL RUINED
 OUR VEHICLE!

MURRY FATHER
 WE MUST FLEE
 THE BATMAN
 IS COMING

AND I DOUBT YOU'LL
 BEST HIM IN COMBAT
 A SECOND TIME

LAST I...
 A ROTTEN CHOICE.
 CHASE RA'S OR GET
 MOLLY TO MEDICAL
 HELP

NO NOT
 REALLY
 ANY CHOICE
 AT ALL!

GET THESE DYNAMITE EMBROIDERED CLOTH
PATCHES THAT TELL IT LIKE IT IS!

EACH GROOVY PATCH MEASURES 3" MADE TO SELL FOR MUCH MUCH MORE YOUR SATISFACTION IS GUARANTEED OR YOUR MONEY CHEERFULLY REFUNDED. ORDER NOW!

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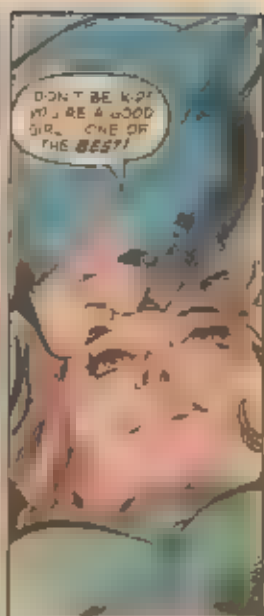
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FROM 1000 S. GARDEN ST.
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TAX \$ 0.00
NET TOTAL \$ 35.00



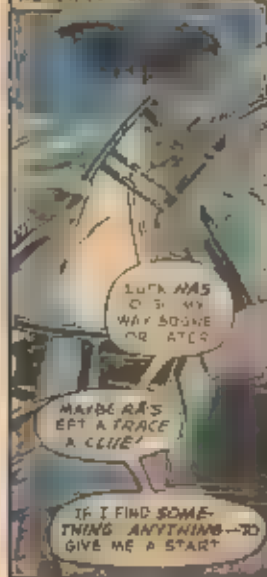
WEEES, MISSED
IT OVER WITH BIG
FEELING. I'M NO
MORE STUCK IN
THE COIN.

I'M SORRY.



DON'T BE WORRY
YOU'RE A GOOD
GIRL. ONE OF
THE BEST!

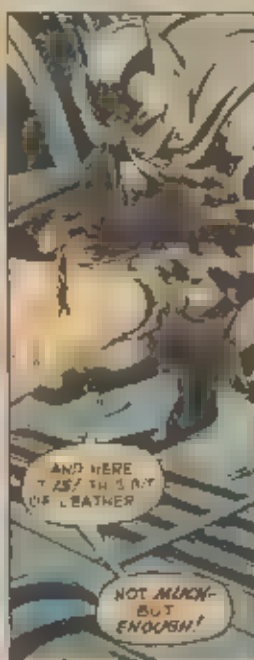
AND AS MIDNIGHT WRAPS
THE MOON HUNG IN THE
DARKNESS THE BATMAN
RETURNS



LUCK HAS
GONE. MY
WAY SOMEONE
OR OTHER

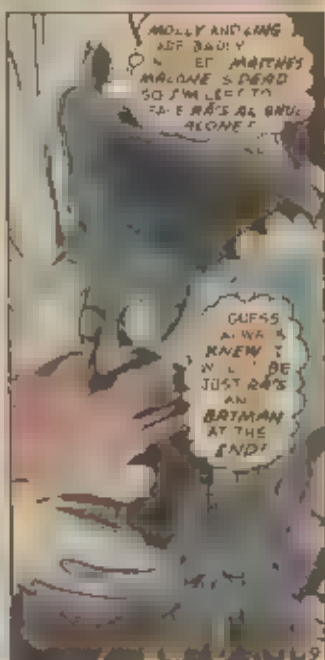
MAYBE RAS
LEFT A TRACE
A CLUE!

IF I FIND SOME-
THING ANYTHING--TO
GIVE ME A START



AND HERE
I'VE FOUND
THE LEATHER

NOT MUCH--
BUT
ENOUGH!



WOLLY AND LONG
AND BADLY
LET MATTHEW
MALONE'S DEAD
SO I'M LEFT TO
FIND RAS ALONE!

GUESS
I'VE
KNOW
I'VE
BE
JUST RAS
AN
BATMAN
AT THE
END!

AT PER E AND
C H FAIN
E
EVA A H A MAY
C H A I P A
L M A D A D R E S
P E J C A T
T H A W W E R E A N
G L O E A H D U N S

THIS IS "THE DESERT" A HELISH
P A I R A M B O F B A I Z I N G E M P T I N E S S
T H A T D E F I E S L V I N G C R E A T U R E S .

Y E T W H E N D O
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C A M E L S !

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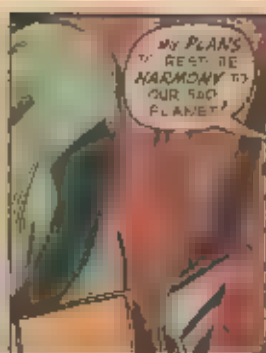
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I HAVE TOO
FEW YEARS
LEFT, DAUGHTER.

HAVE GONE
TO THE LAZARUS
PIT OF TEN THOUSAND
OFTEN.

SOON I WILL
NO LONGER
RESTORE LIFE
TO MY BODY. I
MUST BEGIN
PUTTING INTO
EFFECT MY PLAN.



MY PLANS
TO REST BE
HARMONY TO
OUR GOD
PLANET!



I HAVE BEEN CALLED
CRIMINAL, NOT GENIUS,
AND I AM NEITHER
I AM AN ARTIST!

I HAVE A VISION
OF AN EARTH AS
CLEAN AND PURE
AS A SNOW-COVERED
MOUNTAIN.

OR THE
DESERT
TWO.



IT IS THE VISION
A MADMAN!

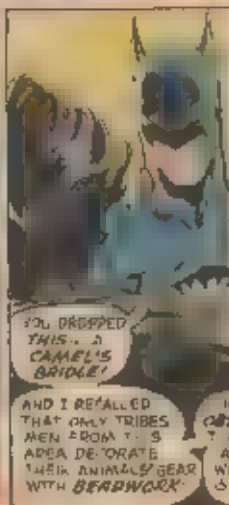
HOW DARE YOU
ENTER MY TENT
UNASKED!



I'M NOT ABOUT
TO STAND ON
CEREMONY RAYS!

THE DETECTIVE!
I WOULD SAY
YOUR PRESENCE
IS IMPOSSIBLE--
IF I DID NOT
KNOW YOUR
ABILITIES.

MAY I ASK
HOW YOU
FOUND
ME?



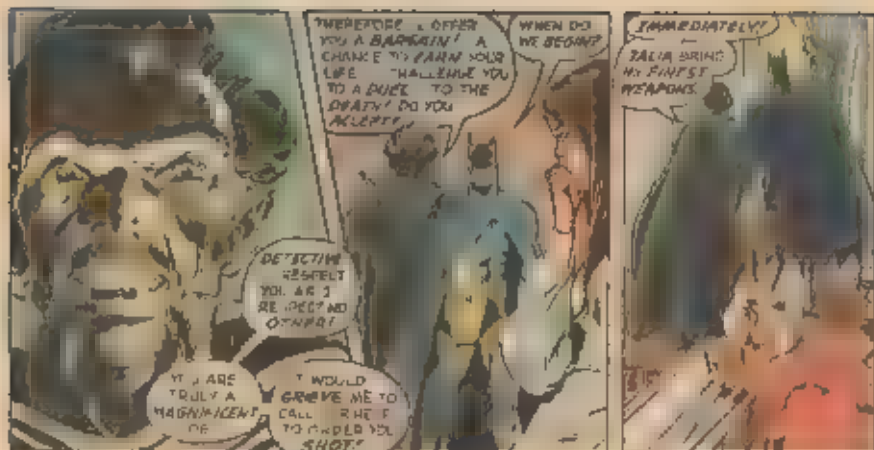
YOU DROPPED
THIS... A
CAMEL'S
BRIDLE!

AND I RECALLED
THAT ONLY TRIBES
MEN FROM THE
SANDS OF
ARABIA DE-ORATE
THEIR ANIMALS' GEAR
WITH BEADWORK.



WHEN I FINALLY
OBSERVED INT-
I SAW A SUPPLY
ARABIAN G-ING
WHERE NOBODY
IS SUPPOSED TO BE.

ENOUGH I'VE
NEVER
ATTENTIONALLY
I SWEAR YOU WILL
NOT LEAVE HERE
UNTIL YOU
SURRENDER!



THIS LONELY AFTERNOON IS FILLED WITH THE ANGER OF CLASHING BLADES...

AND THE STENCH OF BODIES AND BLOOD
AND THE
HUMAN ENEMY...

THE SUN REELS A DANCE OF DEATH AND THE DYSTANT TELL SHADOWS OF DEATH
HE HANGS AND CHIEF A CROSS THE WATER

AND IT WAS
HE REED HE FIGHT
BETWEEN THE BEST
OF ENEMIES

YOU ARE PROUD
DETECTIVE YOU
DO NOT OBLAD
TO AID

IN HE
ANTIDOTE TO
HE POISON IN
HIS BLOOD

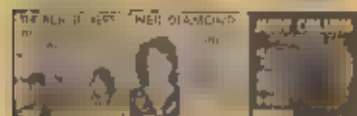
WILL I WOULD I GIVE THE
HERT IS THE JUDGE OF MY
DESTINY

SUN THE THE UNEXPECTED
THE FRAGILE AND THE DARK
QUEST THE THE THE
SEE IN THE AND FINDS
THE BATMAN!

THE
FIGHTER

A
MOMENT
FATHER

If you join, you will agree to buy ten more records (at regular Club prices)



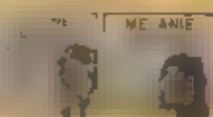
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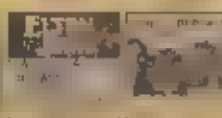
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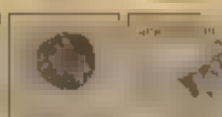
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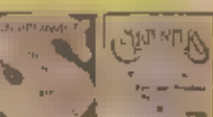
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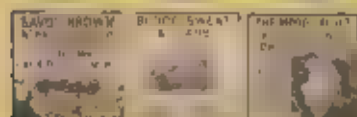
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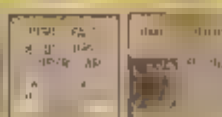
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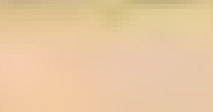
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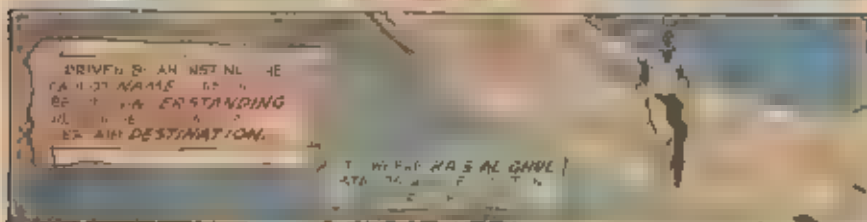
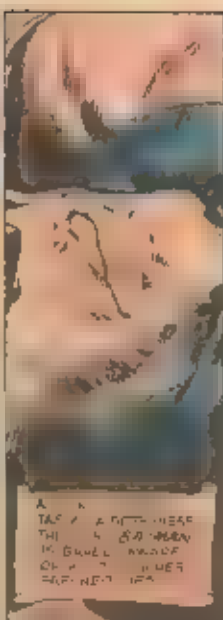
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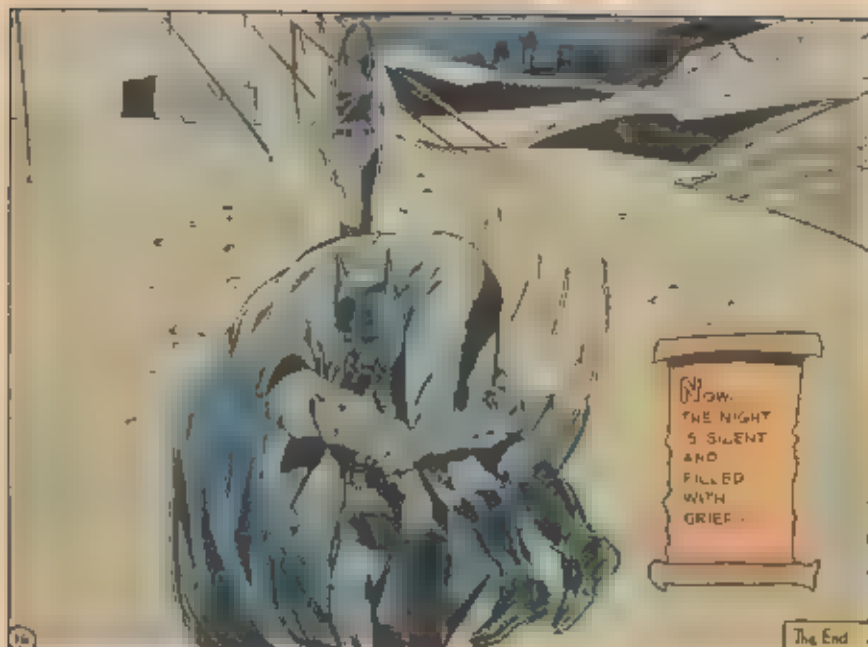
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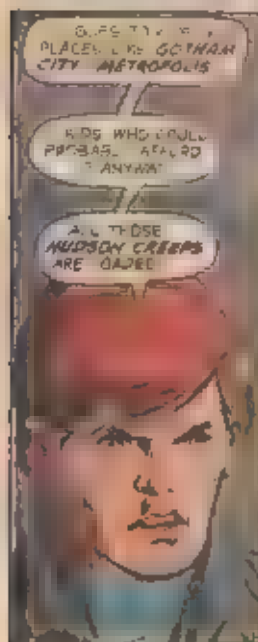
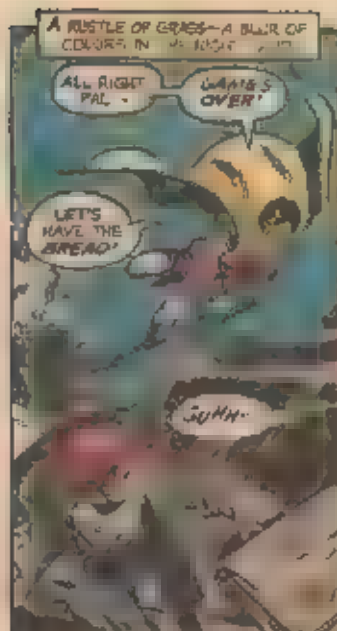


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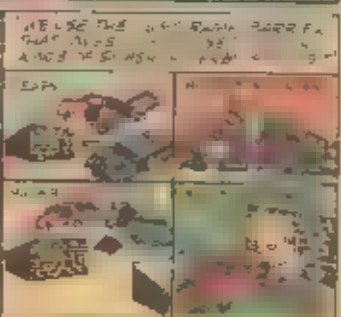
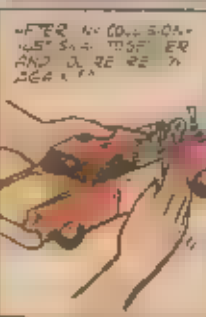
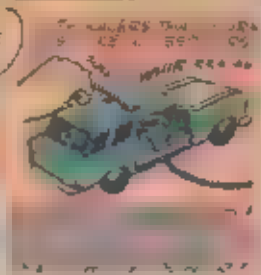




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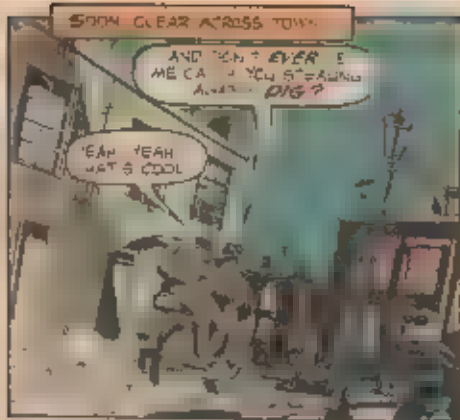


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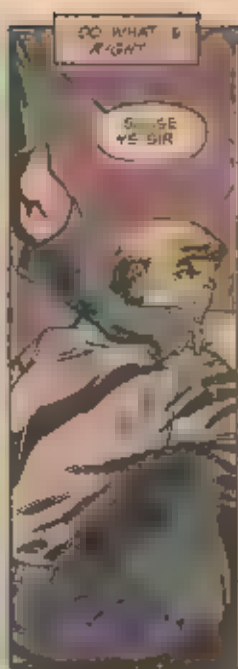




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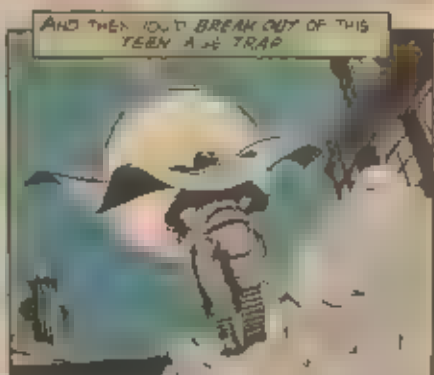


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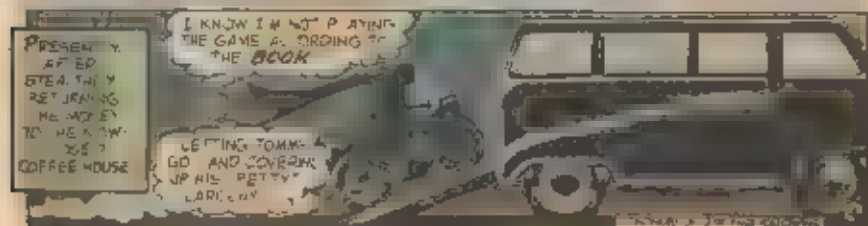
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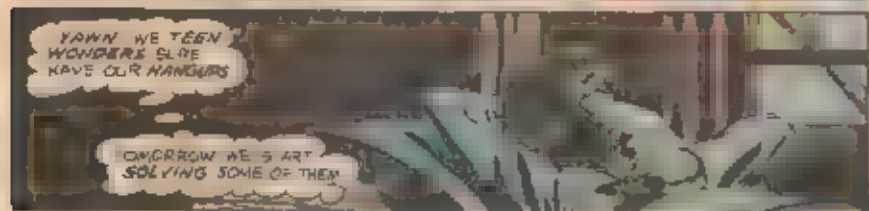
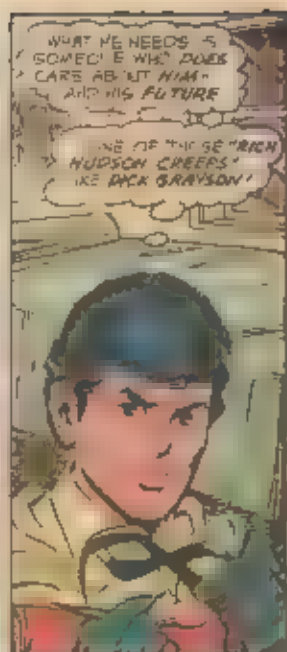
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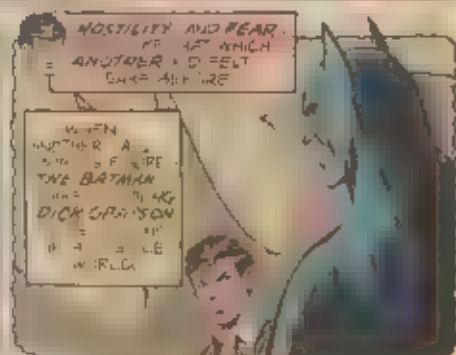
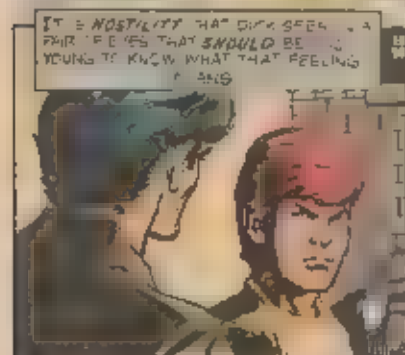
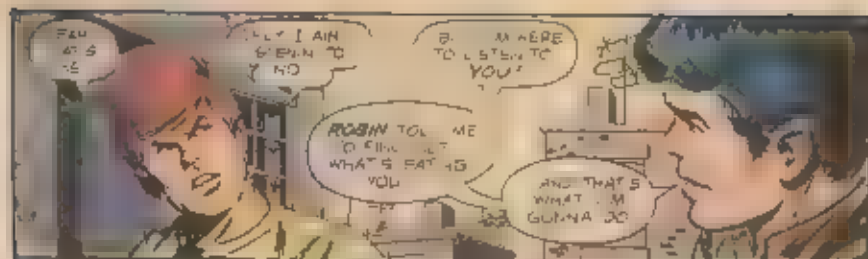
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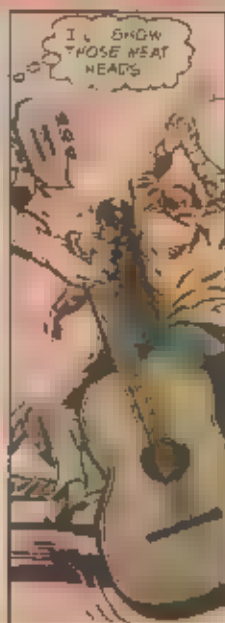
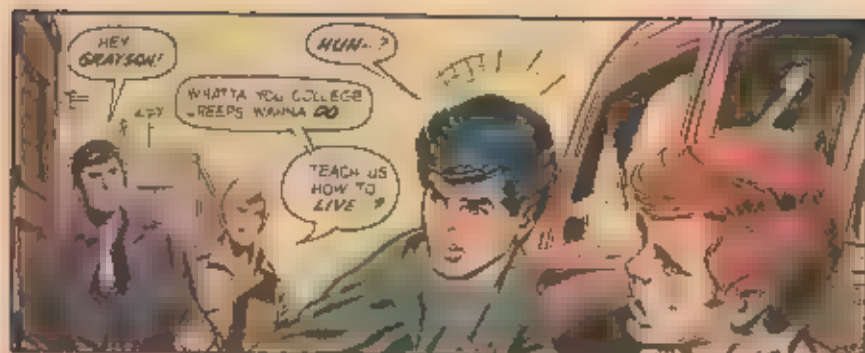
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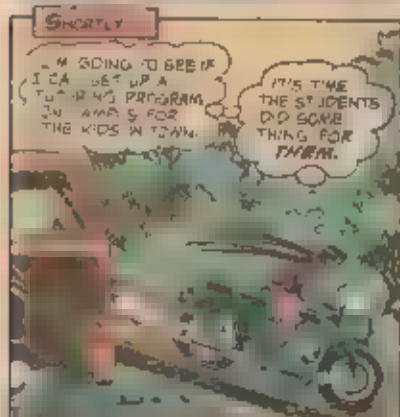
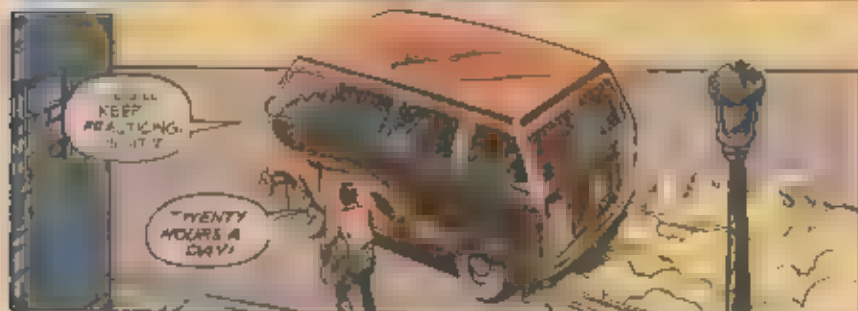
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LETTERS TO THE BATMAN

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Dear Editor:

Stupendous Fantastic! My usually vigorous copywriter is now spelling out unparalleled praise for cover artist Neal Adams for what will undoubtedly go down in fan memories as the greatest comic cover of all the ages—*Batman* #141, May, 1971!

Neal Adams, of course, does many excellent covers every month—and there are many other extremely talented cover artists—but I have never seen a cover as truly striking as this masterpiece. To a troublemaker such as myself, the grim-visaged Batman flying at the reader is real graphic power. And the new logo—I definitely approve of it! I demand you keep it; there can be no other!

This cover can be applied to any *Batman* issue. It has a universal appeal, and is not dated or limited by trying to actually depict a scene from the inside story. This is not done nearly as often as it should be.

The cover story, "As Dawn Dies Mary MacGuffin," was excellent, a fine mystery. *Batman* is no superhero, he's first and foremost a detective, and such stories are exactly right for the character. I'm sure the fact that *Batman* wears a spandex get-up, after all, everyone can have a little eccentricity. If I can meet comic books, *Batman* can go around assuming criminals are a cowardly, superstitious lot and attempt to strike terror into their hearts. But he is a detective first and foremost, and never mind his gash.

—CHARLES T. SMITH, Brainerd, Minn.

(Cover! Cover! COVER!—Clap! Clap! CLAP! Such was the thunderous applause directed at this cover of which we give you more! More! MORE! —J.R.)

Dear Editor:

I was most favorably, happily impressed with *Batman* #141. I don't want to run down the whole issue, as enough readers will do that.

Aside from liking the contents so much, I was overwhelmed three times by the cover—first by the drawing, second by the caption, third by the new logo. The drawing is certainly one of Neal Adams' finest, and that in a long history of fine covers. It seems that Adams gets a little more scrupulous when dealing with *The Batman*; he continues to surpass himself. When Neal is not kind enough to have to depict a scene from the inside story and has a free reign to show the character in an architectural scene, as on this cover with *The Batman* seemingly flying through the night striking an unfortunate victim, the cover is invariably compelling. As I recall, the early issues of *Batman* did just this—showing him attacking crooks from a bridge or mysteriously looming behind a haunted house. These covers, more than the kind that depict a scene from a story inside, really capture the spirit of the character.

—EDWARD BRODERICK, Oakville, N.Y.

(Speaking of "inside stories"—we turned upon a *Batman* sketch Neal Adams was drawing all for a friend. It breeched as cat, but not before we commended Neal to draw it up as a cover (which he pencilled and then Wrightman inked). Coincidentally, upon the very day the cover was completed, *Denny O'Neil finished "As Dawn Dies Mary MacGuffin,"* which struck us as ideally capturing the mood of the cover (with the help of a blurb). —J.S.)

Dear Editor:

I could begin this letter by saying that "As Dawn Dies Mary MacGuffin" was one of Denny O'Neil's

best stories. I could explain that this tale's greatness arose from the perfect handling of *The Batman*'s three main facets: his emotional make-up, his intellect, and his physical prowess. I could even go so far as to praise Irv Novick and Dick Giordano for their most excellent visual renderings.

I could say all these things. After all, they happen to be true. However, I won't say them, because what I really want to discuss is your new cover logo. This is basically the same one that appeared on the cover of *Batman*'s very first issue with a few alterations—most notably the more dramatic lines given to the bat wings. One thing I notice about this logo is its simplicity. It looks as though any child could draw it. Simple! Yes!—But also very, very effective.

—same and awe-inspiring like Gotham's Guardian himself. Surely no one but the most skilled individual can pose as this grim symbol without feeling the overpowering determination of those sinister eyes. I'm looking at it now. . . . It's almost as if *The Batman* is here. . . . staring at me. . . . asking if my soul is free from the residue of crime while I cruise in four.

—PAUL EMERATH, Milwaukee, Wis.

This cover—I felt it! It was not Bruce Wayne under that mask, it was *THE BAT*, a cold, stomach freeze lashed through my eyes with a slight softness from Gotham's harbor. Pale, liquid moonlight oozed over the city, weaving a gossamer tapestry of light and deep shadow across Gotham. I was alone, one, signified, as eight million eyes passed tranquil slumber. . . . Yes, are all writers that nervous?

—JOHN D. WAGNER, Santa Cruz, Ca.

The cover stunned me. . . . it was easily the best *Batman* cover I have ever seen. It was the entire *Batman* series synthesized and communicated in one picture. It was the perfect comic cover.

—FRANK C. VEREYL, Luthersburg, N.J.

Cover very good, with no word balloons. It set the mood of the issue well, with a beautiful picture of a grim, determined *Batman* in pursuit of some crime or injustice to demolish.

—MICHAEL W. FRAZIER, Lexington, Ky.

He is a wizard. A forbidding figure of the shadows and darkness. He is the essence of countless wumps. He is *The Batman*. Neal Adams portrayed him with beauty on the cover. This is greatness!

—MATT GRAHAM, Granada Hills, Ca.

Another logo change? Well, one looks as good as another, so when you find one you like I hope you'll stick to it. Anyway, that cover figure of *The Batman* was sensational!

—GERARD TRIANO, Elmont, N.Y.

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